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W. A. BENJAMIN

W. A. Benjamin, the subject of this sketch, is a tenor much promise, and an aspirant for literary fame. He was be in St. Louis July 28, 1885, and has displayed, during I career, commendable ambitton, which has earned for him amall measure of success.



 Plano Solo, "Sonata in D Minor," Allegro—Adagta Allegretto, Beethoren, Mr. Ernest R. Kroeger. 2. Soprano Sol "Love's Worth," Robya, Miss Edyth Brown. 3. Tenor Son Selection from "Hamile," Shatzpeare, Mr. Roland Marr. Selection from "Hamile," Shatzpeare, Mr. Roland Marr. Barytone Song, "A Mariner's Home's the Sea," Mr. Walt Gluson, & Violin Solo, "Contillene," Rockert-"Jonothia, Mr.

The accompanis of this enjoyable affair was Mr. Louis Go rath, the popular young composer, late of Leissig, German This musicale, like the one given in November, was a prounced success. The parlors of Mr. Benjamir's residen were most beautifully decorated with large pains and it tables and walks insteadily arranged and trimmed with fer aul roses. Over forty friends were present, and altogother to

Forest Park University—Frof P. Mori's first plane an violin recital was very successful. Among the pupils wh made their debut is to be mentioned Miss Delis Kientz of St. Louis, who played the first movement from Monart's Sonata! Cminor with great clearness and precision. The pupils of the University also did very creditable work. Mr. Mori playe two of his compositions, "Mazurka in hist minor" an "Gondollera" for plane. Mr. Kroeger and Mr. Mori rendered.

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- World's Fair Dedicatory Ode. Miss Monroe, the writer, received \$1000 for the ode.

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The Wagner Society will give no performance at Bayreuth in 1886. The society some time since appointed a committee traise money for the purpose of securing relies and souvenirs of the great master to form a Wagnerian Museum at Vienna Many such relies and souvenirs were obtained, and it is runworse that they are about to be sold to persons in the United

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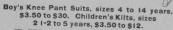
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Otto Anschuetz, teacher of piano, 2127 Sidney street, is very opular with his pupils, of whom he has quite a number. Miss Nellie Paulding, planist and teacher, played several ne piano solos at the doll show, to the delight of all who were

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O. F Mohr, teacher of piano, receives pupils at his residence, 615 South 4th street. Mr. Mohr is a painstaking teacher and has met with considerable success in his classes. J. P. Grant, of 411 S. 22d street, teacher of piano, and accom-panist of the Choral Symphony Society, is kept busy, having a number of pupils who evidence very careful and progressive training.

Geo. F. Townley, the tenor, assisted in the Christmas service at the Central Presbyterian Church. Mr. Townley has a nost of admirers and is becoming much sought after for concert work.

James M. North, the well-known vocal teacher, is much in demand at his music rooms, 914% Olive street. Mr. North's years of experience as teacher and conductor have added to his success.

Miss Agnes Gray, the violinist, played several beautiful selections at the Christmas service given at the Emanuel Baptist Church, and at the organ recital given at the First Presbyterian Church.

Aug. Wm. Hoffmann, the plantst and composer, has a very successful class enrolled at his musical studio, 904 Olive street, room 80. Mr. Hoffmann is becoming widely known as a popular composer.

M. A. Glisino, the organist, gave a magnificent service at St. Xavier's church on Christmas day. His Venite Adore-mus isone of the most popular numbers sung in the Catholic churches on that day.

Miss Carrie Volimar was extended many compliments on the excellent service she has given the Bethel M. E. Church as organist. Her Christmas service was especially fine and a source of pride to the church.

Aug. F. Relpschlaeger, the young planist and teacher, of 4220 lows ave, is giving pupils a thorough and conscientious training. Mr. Relpschlaeger had the advantages of the best teachers at home and abroad. Mrs. Emilie Helmerichs, of 2625 South Seventh street, teacher of piano and voice, has met with considerable success with her pupils. She is also a desirable teacher of English German, French, Italian and Latin.

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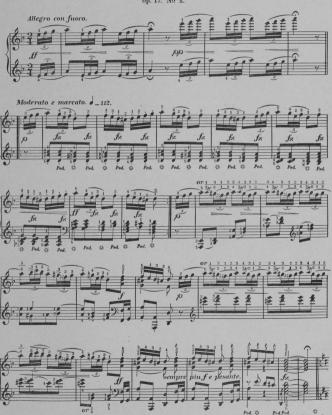


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- A At first, practice very slowly, raising the fingers high, from the knuckles, in striking. The student should not leave this study until he can play it at least as rapidly as indicated by the first metro-mark: quarter note-72. Few students for whom this study is intended will be able to play it at the tempo-quarter note-144.
- B The original text, from this point to the end, is rather too difficult when compared with what precedes. The editor therefore recommends the change indicated, which is more in keeping with the technique required by the balance of the study.
- C It is very difficult to play this measure in time, onaccount of the skip of three and a half octaves with the left hand. This and the preceding measure should, for some time, be practiced alone and slowly, counting four eighths. In this way, the precise moment the second eighth must be struck will be so impressed upon the memory that the student will continue to strike it at the proper time, even when the increased velocity will have lessened the time allotted to its performance.



This study should be practiced with both fingerings for the right hand, each fingering making it a distinct study. The upper fingering requires that the hand should be kept perfectly quiet (the same as in the practice of five-finger exercises) and offers, when thus executed, excellent practice for all the fingers, but especially for the fourth finger. The lower, second, fingering makes it an excellent study for the first finger (thumb) as it offers fine material for the study of crossing under, etc. When thus practiced, hold the wrist very loosely and fully as high as the knuckles, or a little higher. It may be well, after the study has been mastered with the upper fingering, to study a piece or two before proceeding with the second fingering. This will avoid monotony to the student and confusion to the fingers. The eighth notes for the left hand throughout this study should be struck lightly and from the wrist. When the study can be easily played either pp-p-for fi, practice it with the proper light and shade, as indicated by the dynamic marks. Carefully observe the phrasing at A.





Practice with a loose, yielding wrist. Avoid rocking of the right hand from side to side, and do not force the keys in striking. The strength of the touch must come entirely from the fingers, without the assistance of the arm. Few players heed this most important rule, although no one can play the plane well otherwise.





In this study of broken chords, observe carefully in what position the fingers would be if the notes constituting the chord were struck together. The same fingering must of course be taken when the chord is broken. At A, the notes struck together would employ the fingers 1, 2, 3 and 5, as it contains two keys between C and C; at B, the notes would be struck with the fingers 1, 2, 4 and 6, as there is but one key between C and E. The student will observe by this that when the key to be struck next to the fifth finger is at a distance of a fourth, it is struck with the third finger, if at a distance of a third, with the fourth.



The lower fingering given at C is contrary to the general rule. It is not bad in this case on account of the black key to be struck, and may be preferred by small hands. The editor, however, recommends the use of the upper fingering, 1,3,4 and 5.





Annotations to the preceding studies apply to this one. Passages marked \(\) need special attention in reference to the striking of the keys with rounded fingers. If this is not done, the large intervals which they offer to the 3d, 4th and 5th fingers will lead the student unconsciously to flatten out the hand in reaching the keys. The ossias introduced will enable small hands, by the careful substitution of the fingers as marked, to play the melody legato.



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- A This study should be practiced with the various fingerings indicated, as each offers specially useful technical difficulties. In practicing, heed well the position and the lifting of the fingers. They must always strike the keys in a rounded, arch-like position. Separate practice of each hand will also prove of great basefit.
- B Strike the bass notes throughout with a yielding wrist.
- C Sustain these half notes their full value.





A Notes to the previous study apply to the practice of this one. The lower fingering, given for the right as well as the left hand, is somewhat unusual. It will, however, well repay any time that may be spent upon the mastering of it. In practicing hold the wrist very loosely so as to facilitate the crossing under of the thumb in ascending and the crossing over of the third and fourth fingers in descending. In crossing under of the thumb with either hand the third or fourth finger should remain on the key until the thumb has reached its key. In crossing of the fingers over the thumb, the same rule must be adhered to, otherwise the evenness (legato) which is the chief object of the study will be destroyed.



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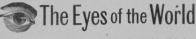
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